

## FIVE KILLED IN DYNAMITE BLAST

Mixing Building of Atlas Powder Plant in New Jersey Destroyed.

LAKE HOPATCONG, N. J., May 10.—Five workmen were killed and 15 injured, none dangerously, at noon Tuesday when the dynamite mixing building of the Atlas Powder Co. plant at Landing was demolished by dynamite explosions. Another mixing house was destroyed by fire resulting from the explosion. Many persons here, at Landing, Dover and other places, miles distant, were cut by flying glass from windows shattered by the force of the explosion. The men killed were Force Johnson, head powder mixer, of Landing; John Herischo, head gelatine mixer, of Landing; Albert Masker of Netcong; Theodore Young, foreman, of Netcong; George Zolteck, guard of Elizabeth. Johnson had been employed by the company for 16 years and Young for 10 years. Zolteck began work at the plant only Tuesday morning.

The mixing houses, heavily barricaded wooden structures, were located a half mile or more from the main buildings of the plant in which 700 men were employed. None of the workers in the structures which were wrecked escaped death. The men injured, all of whom were at work in the main part of the plant, were cut by glass from broken windows and by debris wrenched loose by the crash. The roar of the explosion was heard for a distance of 10 miles in every direction.

Buildings a long distance away were shaken, windows were shattered and dishes were thrown from shelves. The explosion was attributed by Supt. Riederer to one of the "unexplainable accidents" which sometimes occur in the manufacture of explosives. The only explanation he could offer as to the cause was that some one of the men killed made a mistake in "mixing."

### WHITE FLAG FOR BOY

Mail Clerk Learns of Stork's Visit in Unique Way.

International News Service:

BRAZIL, Ind., May 10.—"Cheer up, boys, it's a white flag," shouted Walter Withers, mail clerk on a fast Pennsylvania train, as he looked out the window when the train passed through Brazil. He explained he had to! The nurse at his home to hang out a white flag if the stork brought a boy and a pink flag if it was a girl.

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## Will Leave to Be War Nurse



MISS ESTHER CLEVELAND. ©CLINEDINST

Miss Esther Cleveland, daughter of ex-Prest Grover Cleveland, will start for Europe in the early summer to become a war nurse.

Miss Cleveland at present is with her mother, Mrs. Thomas J. Preston, Jr., at Hot Springs, Va., where they have joined the spring colony.

### TAGGART GIVES \$1,000 FOR STATE PARK FUND

Total Contributions for Purchase of Turkey Run Now Total \$17,000.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 10.—A contribution of \$1,000 from Sen. Thomas Taggart raised the total contributions to the fund to purchase Turkey Run, in Parke county, as the first unit in a system of state parks to nearly \$17,000. Turkey Run will be sold under court order, May 18. Many Indiana lumbermen have promised members of the park committee they will not attempt to buy the tract for the lumber there is in it.

### LAY CORNERSTONE FOR MEMORIAL COLISEUM

Gov. Ralston and National G. A. R. Commander in Ceremonies at Evansville.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., May 10.—Gov. Samuel M. Ralston and Elias R. Monfort of Cincinnati, national commander of the G. A. R., were the chief figures Tuesday afternoon in the laying of the cornerstone of the \$25,000 Vanderburg county soldiers' and sailors' memorial coliseum. Tuesday night an immense camp fire was held at Evans hall at which the two men also spoke.

There are seven organizations holding their state meetings here. Including the G. A. R., they are the Spanish War Veterans, the Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Ladies of the United Spanish War Veterans, Sons of Veterans and Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Spanish War Veterans elected officers Tuesday as follows: President, Lulu C. Burridge, Evansville; treasurer, Marie C. Williams, Indianapolis; secretary, Elsie M. Hood, Indianapolis; chaplain, Bessie E. Roberts, Princeton; historian, Clara E. Draheim, Princeton; patriotic instructor, Catherine Dudley, Terre Haute; inspector, Marie Crone, Indianapolis; judge advocate, Josephine Blum, Evansville; conductor, Ethel Badger, Richmond; assistant conductor, Ruth Woodruff, Indianapolis; guard, Lottie Glover, South Bend; assistant guard, Margaret Hennepohl, South Bend; aides, Ruth Browling, Muncie; Rose Jönker, Marion; Jane D. Walsh, Lafayette; chief of staff, Amelia Norcross, Evansville.

### METHODISTS IN HOT TALK ON U. S. TROOPS MORALS

Claim Resolution to Keep Liquor Out of Hawaii is Reflection on Soldiers.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 10.—Because many of the delegates to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church believed a resolution urging congress to prohibit the importation of intoxicants into the Hawaiian Islands reflected on the morals of United States soldiers, it Tuesday was referred to the committee on temperance after a heated debate. The resolution was introduced by Herbert B. Johnson of Berkeley, Calif., and referred to "unspeakable carousals" among American soldiers.

Francis M. Larkin of San Francisco explained that the incident to which the resolution referred took place when a number of soldiers returning from the Philippine Islands landed at Honolulu. He bitterly denounced acts of which he said they were guilty.

Appleton Bash of Pittsburgh declared the resolution gave the wrong impression, that of criticizing all the American soldiers, when only a few negro soldiers were concerned in the incident of which Mr. Larkin complained. He asserted that the resolution was unjust and urged that it not be adopted.

Elam A. White, a negro pastor of Cleveland, Ohio, defended the negro soldiers in the United States army as being equal to any other class of men in the ranks.

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### MICHIGAN BULL MOOSE INSTRUCTED FOR T. R.

Resolution so Worded However That it Will Not Offend Regular Republicans.

International News Service:

JACKSON, Mich., May 10.—The progressive state convention Tuesday passed a resolution instructing the delegates to support Col. Roosevelt, but it was so worded that the regular republicans can take no offense. The opinion here is that a merger of the two parties will be effected in Chicago in June.

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